THE GOLF CLUB AT
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Board of Governors Golf Meeting Minutes

February 24, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 9:00am EST by Jerry Closer.

Attendance of the Board: Jerry Closser, Barb Kehl, Bryon Itterman, Chuck Parsons, Wayne Winn, Christine Herrick, Therese Currin, Pete Jeffries.

Excused: Pam Briles

Motion to approve minutes from January 26, 2026, Board of Governors meeting from Mr. Itterman and seconded by Dr. Parsons and the motion carried.

Motion to approve minutes from the February 5, 2026, email chain titled "Chandler – Funds have been received" from Mr. Itterman and seconded by Dr. Parsons and the motion carried.

General Manager Report

***Jeff Wilson recently attended the Club Management Association of America conference.**

***Area clubs have been contacted about temporary work for employees impacted by the upcoming renovation.**

***The management team is working on plans for projects to be completed during the upcoming closure.**

***Matthew in the maintenance department will be getting licensed to fly the drone and provide videos during the renovation.**

Treasurer Report provided by Mr. Itterman

***The bank application for the upcoming renovation loan has been submitted.**

***The Finance Committee has not yet met this month. Financials will be provided after their upcoming meeting.**

House Committee

***Chef Marcello Prieto has submitted his two-week notice of resignation. A highly qualified interim chef will start in early March and assist the current staff.**

***Planning is underway for the upcoming end of season party, Champagne and Shovels.**

***The committee is discussing plans for a Welcome Back party and a separate event to celebrate the club's 25th anniversary.**

Golf Committee

***Pro Shop clearance sales have been well received.**

***The Battle of the Sexes event will be held March 4 and March 6.**

***Guest fees will be lowered to $100.00 per player starting March 1, 2026, and ending at the start of golf course renovation in early April. The family rate during that time will be $75.00.**

***The committee is working on the golf schedule for next season with a target opening date of December 1, 2026.**

***A new logo is being developed to celebrate the club's 25th anniversary. The committee will work on commemorative merchandise.**

***The rates for the par three course will be discussed in committee with a recommendation brought back to the Board of Governors.**

***Jeff will work with maintenance to provide artificial turf squares for golfers to use on bare grass areas.**

Greens Committee

***The first spray to kill the paspalum grass went well. The weather is being monitored for the upcoming March 1 spray.**

***The golf course will remain open through Easter on Sunday, April 5.**

***The committee is looking at options for hole signs and tee markers. They will bring their final recommendation to the Board of Governors.**

***Roy Jones, Dunnick Construction and course architect, Bill Bergin, are a good team for the upcoming course renovation. Weather permitting, there are no anticipated delays.**

***There is an opening for a new Assistant Golf Course Superintendent. Both internal and external candidates are being considered.**

Membership Committee

***As of January 31, 2026, there are 210 golf members, 44 sport members and 63 social members.**

***Membership Director, Ashley Sanders, has 33 new leads so far this year, with 5 of the leads close to closing. There are only seven homes and seven carriage houses for sale currently.**

***The committee will bring a recommendation for new software to enhance member experience to the Board of Governors next month.**

***Ashley is working on an event to celebrate the groundbreaking on the golf course renovation and pavilion projects. A date for the event will be announced soon.**

Presidents Report

***Planning will be coordinated with the contractors for the groundbreaking.**

***The Welcome Back party is projected to be November 14, 2026, followed by a celebration of the 25th anniversary in mid-January 2027.**

***The preconstruction meetings with the pavilion and golf course contractors were productive and the building committees are pleased with the contractors.**

***The Executive Committee met with the employees that will be working during the renovation to share construction plans and discuss plans for operations during the closure.**

***An announcement regarding staff changes leading up to the renovation will be sent to all members.**

***The vote to increase and extend the club's borrowing capacity was discussed. In the recent vote, more than 75% of the membership voted in favor of the initiative.**

***Jeff Wilson will be leaving after Easter. The search for the General Manager will begin in late Spring, with the goal of having the new hire ready to start in September.**

***The annual meeting will be April 2 at 4pm.**